



It was a sunny afternoon in July, 1942, that I found I had a farm.

Well, it was almost that way. The missus and I were sunning ourselves in the backyard, wishing we were at a Lake Michigan or Lake Huron beach. Lansing is a long way from either place, you know.

"How'd you like to have a farm?" she asked suddenly. "Father writes that he would like to make a gift settlement of 100 acres with a good house. You know he doesn't like attorneys."

And that was the way this newspaper columnist acquired the responsibility of a farm and all the problems it involved—\$6,500 mortgage, fertility depleted soil, frost over corn planting, a headache of a barn, a well that went dry, and—well, the list is lengthy.

In less than six years I acquired something else—a healthy respect for dirt-farmers, the people who stake hard-earned money in the gamble of crops and livestock. I learned the importance of soil conservation, if American agriculture is to sustain our domestic economy.

All of this case to mind the other day when H. H. Bennett, chief of the U. S. soil conservation service, spoke during "Farmers' Week" at Michigan State College, East Lansing.

"Around a fourth of the cropland in the United States is being damaged at a critical rapid rate by erosion," he warned. "This is at an estimated annual cost of something like 110 to 115 million acres of highly vulnerable cropland, much of which will be permanently damaged and some of it ruined for further cultivation every year if it is cropped without protection."

"We are allowing about 500,000 acres to be so damaged by erosion every year that it cannot be used longer for cultivated crops. The estimated annual cost of erosion in the United States is considerably more than a million dollars."

Michigan has 39 soil conservation districts comprising approximately 12 million acres, or 65 per cent, of the state's farm land and more than one-half of all the farms. For much of this we can thank Michigan State College.

But does it pay a farmer to practice modern soil conservation methods?

The answer is emphatically yes. Dividends are in the form of better crop yields, better income. Federal studies show the average additional income to be \$4.90 per acre for the country as a whole, and \$6.37 more on 257 typical conservation-treated farms in Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio and Iowa. Nothing tangled-gangled about this.

We never expect to be smart enough to run a farm. But we do believe we are smart enough to put a good idea to work. Soil conservation is a practical investment. It is paying dividends for every farmer and farm owner who gives it a chance. It will bring more dollars to the local merchants. It will help to build better communities and a more prosperous Michigan.

TWO FIRE CALLS

The Grayling Fire Department was called to extinguish a fire in the car of Edwin LeBout, Saturday evening at around 9 o'clock. According to Fire Chief Middle LaMotte all the wiring was burned, the cause being an apparent short in the ignition.

The department was again called out Sunday evening when an accumulation of dust on the dome of the furnace of Burrows Food Market ignited threatening fire. According to Chief LaMotte it is well for fur coats with floor registers of this type to be cleaned regularly and often.

Mr. LaMotte also stated that any person living on the opposite side of the street from the fire main, keeping a small drip of the faucets going if they want water before spring. To tell which side the main are on look for a hydrant Mr. LaMotte said, as they are both on the same side.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

City Council meeting at City Hall in first Monday of every month, 7:30 P. M. Citizens invited.

American Legion, 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall, Second Monday, business; 4th Monday, social.

American Legion Auxiliary 8:00 P. M. Legion Hall. 2nd Tuesday, business; 4th Tuesday, social.

Youth Fellowship, M. M. Church each Sunday evening at 7:30.

Feb. 12—Regular meeting of Grayling Rebekah Lodge, No. 352.

Feb. 13—Chamber of Commerce Directors meeting. Court House, 7:30.

Feb. 18—Woman's Club. Mrs. Alfred Sorenson.

Feb. 18—Third Degree Work, Grayling Masonic Lodge, 7 o'clock.

Every Wednesday, Legion Drum and Bugle Corps practice at Legion Hall.

Feb. 25 — P. T. A., South Side School.

March 2 — Hospital Aid, Nurses Home, Mrs. Walter Truettner and Miss Margaret Bauman, hostesses.

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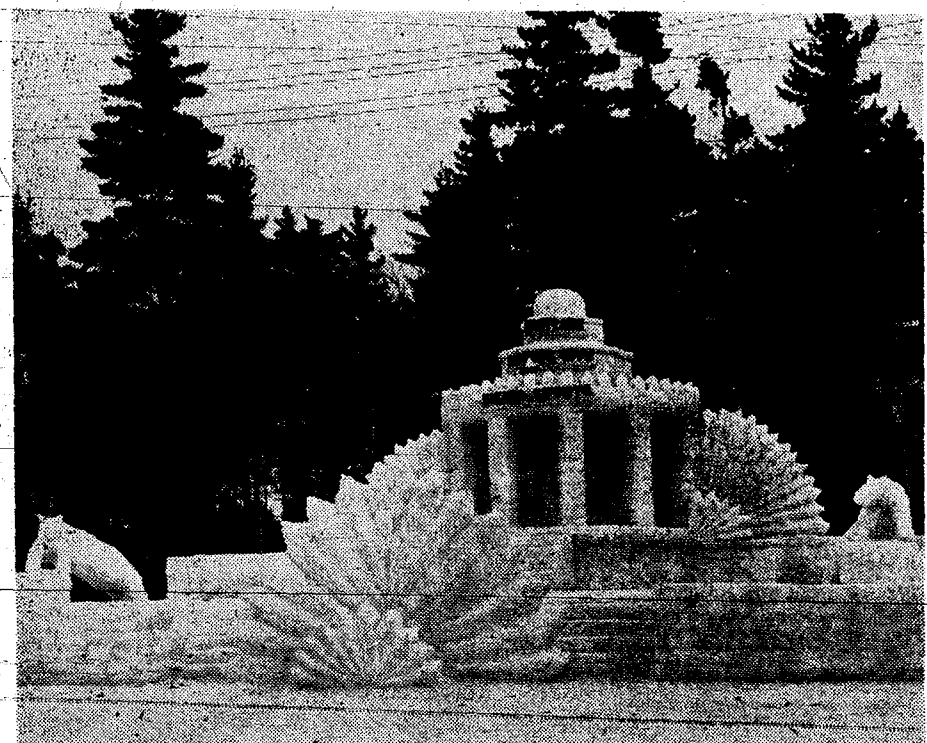
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3 Day Carnival This Weekend

?? WHO WILL BE CROWNED HERE SUNDAY ??



Pictured above is the huge, but, well-balanced and beautiful ice throne at the Grayling Winter Sports Park. It was constructed by John Deckrow of Grayling and will be the scene of the crowning of Miss Michigan Snow Queen by Head Football Coach Herbert O. (Fritz) Crysler of the University of Michigan on Sunday afternoon. The coronation ceremonies, which will be witnessed by thousands, will be the climax of the Grayling Winter Sports Carnival which is itself the high point of the winter sports season here.

Activities Are Many Fold

Cage Tourney, Perch Fry, Ball Among Them

The many activities scheduled in Grayling this week that will add to the Grayling Winter Sports Carnival are many fold and of many varieties.

The week was started off with the Grayling Independent Basketball Tourney which started Tuesday. Semi-finals of the tournament are scheduled for tonight with the championship games in Class C and D set for tomorrow night at which a large crowd is anticipated. All visiting Winter Sports Queens will be at the cage finals.

Tuesday night, the first cage contest saw the West Branch Reserves face Hillman in a Class D contest with Hillman emerging victorious by a 64 to 38 score. Traverse City and West Branch Producers then took the floor. In a really exciting ball game, the Producers defeated Traverse by a 61 to 32 count. The Grayling Legion then met the Pinconning Reserves in another Class D game with the locals winning 31 to 27. The final game Tuesday night Pinconning and Oscoda met in a thrilling, Class C battle with Pinconning advancing over Oscoda by a 59 to 31 score.

A perch fry has been set for the Legion Hall on both Friday and Saturday evenings with a noon luncheon on Saturday at 1 P. M. for visiting newsmen and all Winter Sports Queens at the Shoppens Inn. Miss Michigan Snow Queen will be selected at the luncheon but her identity will not be revealed until the Snow Queen's Ball Saturday evening. Mrs. C. G. Clippert is in charge of the luncheon arrangements.

Roland Servis with a six piece dance band from Ann Arbor will provide music for the ball. Among the talented musicians is Mary Kelly who plays cornet. Miss Kelly won the United States High School cornet championship some years ago and now plays first cornet at the University of Michigan. The amplified string bass player is a member of the Michigan Symphony Orchestra. Chairman Ray Clement of the Queen's ball has announced that the children accompanied by their parents will be admitted to the balcony only at the dance for 50c each. Many children wish to see the presentation of the queens and all phases of the program, but do not care to dance. Chairman Clement and his committee arrived at the children's admission charge in answer to many requests.

Another feature at the school on Saturday night will be the Smorgasbord which is in the capable hands of Mrs. J. Ludeman and her helpers, Mrs. Norval Stephan, Mrs. Margrethe Leslie and Mrs. C. L. Parich. The Smorgasbord will open at 7 P. M. and will be buffet style, so each one can have the things they like best. It will continue throughout the dance in order that the merry-makers may snack any time. Besides the regular Smorgasbord, light lunches will also be served. The menu contains potato salad with weiners, rolls and coffee, ham sandwiches, chess, sandwiches, and many more good things to eat.

P. T. A. NEWS

A complete report of the Band Uniform Fund Drive will be printed in next weeks issue. All results have not been turned in making a full report impossible at this time.

The next P. T. A. meeting will be February 25 at the South Side School. An executive meeting is scheduled for the preceding Wednesday evening at the school. It was falsely reported that Mrs. June Gross was the chairman of the coffee committee at the last meeting and box social. We had our Grosses mixed. It was Mrs. Clarence Gross who headed the committee. Our apologies.

Local Woman's Brother Dies In Jet Fighter Crackup

P-80 Crashed and Burned in Illinois

The identity of an Air Force fighter pilot killed in a crash of a P-80 jet plane near Champaign, Illinois last Saturday was revealed by Selfridge Field authorities as Lt. Henry M. Straub, whose sister, Mrs. Frank Cassel, Jr., lives in Grayling.

Lt. Straub's plane crashed in a cornfield three miles west of Champaign three minutes after the takeoff from Chanute Field bound for Saline, Kansas. The plane exploded as it crashed and burned up so completely that only fragments of wreckage remained.

Surviving the pilot are, his wife, Elizabeth, and year-old daughter, Ellen Marie of Mt. Clemens, his mother, Mrs. Margaret Straub of Detroit, and his sister, Mrs. Cassel. Lt. Straub was assigned to the 61st Fighter Squadron, Selfridge Field and was one of the first

pilots to fly a P-80 "Shooting Star" fighter. He held the Air Medal and Purple Heart from action in World War II. He had been shot down over Germany and had escaped from the Nazis. Lt. Straub won his wings with the Air Force in 1943 and later was attached to a fighter group in England. His assignment to Selfridge Field was made in 1945. While on Summer maneuvers with the Selfridge Field fighter group at Oscoda, Lt. Straub flew over Grayling several times. He landed at the local airport, and was well-known to many Grayling people.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassel accompanied by Mr. Harold Long left for Detroit Sunday, after being informed of the tragedy. Funeral arrangements are still incomplete at this time.

Air Force authorities stated that a board had been named to investigate the crash of the jet-propelled fighter.

Archery Club Elects Officers

The Archery Club of the Grayling Sportsmen's Club elected officers at their first regular meeting held in the warming house at the Grayling Winter Sports Park Monday evening.

Frank Scott was elected chairman with Matt Edson as vice-chairman. Les Case was named treasurer with Lois Bradley as secretary. Fred Brownell was elected as indoor captain and Bob Meaker was named as outdoor captain. Butch Anderson was elected as publicity director for the club.

About 65 persons attended the meeting with 35 participating in shooting at six targets. The next meeting of the club will be held at 7:30 Monday evening at the Park with the same fees. A feature of the meeting will be a sausage shoot for which an additional dome fee will be charged. Rings of sausage are hung from strings and the bowmen shoot at them, as a ring of sausage is hit by an archer, the meat becomes his.

Equipment will be provided for those without it and any interested person was urged to attend by Chairman Scott.

Hospitalized By Gun Shot Wound

Fred Ray, 24, of Grayling was taken to Mercy Hospital early Tuesday morning for treatment of gunshot wounds after he shot himself with a 12 gauge shotgun. Sheriff William F. Goinick said.

The wound was at the waistline on the left side of the body but wasn't too serious, the sheriff reported. The wounded man is the son of Mrs. William Cox of Fred.

Former Supt. of Mercy Hospital Passes On

Word has been received here of the passing of Sister Mary Gonzales in Muskegon, Michigan, on Monday, February 9, after a 7 months illness. Burial was to be (Continued on Page Eight)



139 YEARS AGO TODAY

Abraham Lincoln was born in a rude log cabin in Hardin County, Kentucky. This great man, who later became the 16th President of the United States, left many great speeches to posterity. One statement that he borrowed from the Holy Bible and used in the early days of the Civil War was "A house divided against itself cannot stand." A simple, yet compelling quotation even today.

Expect Ten Winter Sports Queens Here For Snow Queen Competition

1947 Snow Queen June Simes To Attend

Winter Sports Queens of ten Michigan communities, and possibly more, are expected to attend the three day Winter Sports Carnival opening here tomorrow.

Besides Grayling Queen Geneva Avery, Winter sovereigns are expected from Bay City, East Lansing, Cheboygan, West Branch, Roscommon, Lewiston, Silver Valley, Alpena and Harrison. Several others have been invited but whether they will be able to attend is not known as yet.

Also expected for the Carnival is Miss June Simes of Detroit, who last year was crowned Miss Michigan Snow Queen. She will step down from the throne and abdicate her position in favor of the newly selected 1948 Michigan Snow Queen.

Miss Michigan Snow Queen will be presented to the crowd at the Michigan Snow Queen's Ball at the High School Gym Saturday evening and is scheduled to be crowned at the park on Sunday afternoon. Coronation ceremonies will take place on the huge ice throne at 2 o'clock. Miss Michigan Snow Queen of 1948 will receive her crown from the hands of Herbert O. (Fritz) Crysler, head football coach and athletic director of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.

The Grayling Winter Sports Park will operate night and day from Friday through Sunday with skiing races and exhibitions, skating races and figure skating competition scheduled for Saturday. With a full program of winter activities scheduled for Sunday at the huge snow playground. On both Saturday and Sunday, Hurl Deckrow will thrill the capacity crowds with his ride down the 3,100 foot toboggan slide while standing on his lead on a toboggan. This spectacular and thrilling exhibition always pleases the crowd.

Following the coronation ceremonies, a novel archery exhibition will take place on the big ice rink. The shooting will be accomplished by some of the nation's leading archers on moving as well as standing targets.

A snow train chartered by the Lutheran League is expected Sunday from Bay City. This group brought a train from Bay City to the Grayling Park last year. A rather good-sized crowd is expected to attend the special train as last year. The Lutheran group neared the 500 mark. A train from Lansing has been scheduled for the following Sunday, February 22, park officials said.

Today a large group representing Grayling are in attendance at an East Michigan Winter Sports Council meeting which is being held at the new Pioneer Hills Sport Park just out of town. The meeting will give the winter sports representatives and their guests an opportunity to view the new sports layout, which is three miles from Roscommon overlooking Higgins street. Wyllis DeWitt, chairman of the Roscommon Winter Sports Committee, will introduce Roscommon's Snow Queen during the luncheon, which will be followed by a brief business session.

Last week end's crowd at the park was appreciably larger than the week before and they found the park in excellent condition for any type of winter sports. The clear, cold weather and the snow has aided the park crew in maintaining the park at tip top

condition all season. The toboggan slides were very fast, the ice rink in fine, smooth condition, ski slopes could stand a fall of some new, fluff snow but are in good shape otherwise.

From Thursday of last week until Monday, guests of the park were Mr. and Mrs. Tadeus J. Frymar, Consul of Poland, who is in charge of the Detroit Consulate. Consul Frymar and his wife stayed at the Shoppens Inn while here. They skied at both Skysline and the Winter Sports Park. Consul Frymar was much impressed with Grayling and the two adjacent winter sports areas and said he and his wife would be back again this year. During this week, three couples are spending their honeymoons in Grayling and are participating in winter sports.

Wave Faces East Jordan Next

Lose To Mancy And Boyne City

The Grayling Green Wave moves into East Jordan Friday night after dropping two consecutive games, last Friday to Manelona there and at Boyne City Tuesday night. The Wave will entertain Harbor Springs here next Friday and Pellston here Friday, February 27 to windup their 1948 cage season.

The Wave faces tough sledding in their next three games, but, if they hit the victory trail they can mould themselves a 7 victories against nine defeats season score which isn't too far below a .500 season.

The Wave played good even ball with Boyne City in every period except the third when they let Boyne run up 13 points to their 6 which provided the winner's with their margin of victory.

Boyne held a 6 to 5 lead at the end of the first period and with each team scoring in the second only held a 12 to 11 lead at half time. Then came the third which ultimately cost Grayling a game with each team scoring 7 points in the final heat for the total count of 32 to 24.

Chuck and Jim Feldhauser and Dick Miller all scored 6 points with Max Niederer adding 5 and Clare Burns 1 for the Wave's scoring. Boyne's attack was paced by Ernest with 11, Erber with 9 and Scott with 8.

The Reserves also were tripped, losing by a 34 to 23 score. Jack Trudeau lead the losers with 10 points with Hanson adding 8, Peterson 4 and Richardson 1.

Shaler with 11 and Chasman with 6 paced the victor's offensive.

Other games in Northern Class C League play during the past week ended in the following scores: Harbor Springs 34, Pellston 32; Charlevoix 60, Gaylord 29; Manelona 43, East Jordan 20; Boyne City 49, East Jordan 20; Gaylord 40, Harbor Springs 21; Charlevoix 51, Pellston 7. In the last game for which the score is listed Pellston outscored Charlevoix in the final quarter, winning a foul shot while the Rayder second string varsity lads were unable to hit the basket.

Although the Wave drove back hard for 24 points to the Ironmen's (Continued on Page 2)

City To Enforce New Curfew Ordinance Beginning Feb. 22

Children Under 17 Effectuated After 10:30

The City of Grayling will begin enforcement of a new curfew ordinance, known as ordinance Number 17, on February 22 at 10:30 P. M.

The ordinance was passed by the City Commission and ordered enforced after the Grayling Parent-Teachers Association presented a resolution to the Council calling for the action. The PTA also polled all the other organizations in the city on the proposed ordinance with a large majority of them being in favor of a new law on the subject of some description.

The new ordinance calls for all minors under the age of 17 years to be off from the streets by 10:30 P. M. The new city ordinance places the responsibility for the action of the minors squarely on the parent or guardian of the child. The penalty for violation is a fine of \$100 plus costs of prosecution or a 90 day jail sentence, or both in the discretion of the court.

The new ordinance in part says: "No minor under the age of 17 years shall loiter, idle, wander, stroll or play in or upon the public streets, highways, roads, alleys, parks, public buildings, place of

amusement and entertainments, other unsupervised place, after the hour of 10:30 o'clock P. M. unless such minor shall be in the company of his or her parents, guardian or other adult person having the care or custody of such minor or unless such minor is on an emergency errand or some legitimate and necessary business directed by his or her parent, guardian or other adult person as aforesaid."

The hour of 10:30 was set by the Council because it will give the city's children ample time to attend their school functions, game or other school functions and still have time to stop for refreshments and to home by the set time.

The Council also has decided to begin to sound the city's fire whistle at noon and at six o'clock in the evening as well as the 10:30 curfew. All three of the signalling whistles will commence on Sunday, February 22 and citizens are notified in order that they will not think the siren is sounding a fire call. The blasts will be of a short duration and after a few days to become accustomed to them, it was thought that they will prove themselves extremely beneficial and will not be confused with a fire call.

WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

For Rent
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

WRITE or call Clinton Typewriter Service for "Rebuilding" - Repairing - Cleaning - Typewriters - Adding Machines - Calculators - Comptometers - Mimeographs - Cash Registers. Phone 879. 315 Vine Street, Traverse City. 4-3-4t

FOR SALE—New 4-room and bath home with garage attached. Rustic siding, modern and insulated. On old "M-85", one-mile from Grayling. Call Northern Specialties Co. Phone 2972 or 4183. 12/18 ft.

HANDSAW FILING—Any kind, also knives, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or anything you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia. Phone 4341. 7-24 ft

WANTED—House wiring work. For estimates call Kalkaska 3494 or write Paul Dunlap, Kalkaska. Oct. 2 ft

FOR SALE—Four large lots. Opposite ball park. For particulars phone 2201. Oct. 30 ft

FOR SALE—Fine kiln dried hardwood—kinding. Large load, 4. Stephan Wood Products. Phone 3667. 1-22 ft

WANTED—Bulldozer work. Jack Millikin. Phone 3771. Aug. 14 ft

FOR SALE—Northern Spy apples. Will deliver. King's Orchards. H. L. King and Sons, Houghton Lake. 29-5-12

"YOU ARE invited to the Pioneer Hills Sports Park. Tobogganing, Skiing, Dancing and good food." Roscommon, Michigan. 29-5-12-29

PAPER TABLE CLOTHING—\$3.00 for 300-ft. roll. Avalanche Office. 1-1 ft

LOST—Male Beagle, black, white and brown, in McClanahan's Swamp, about two weeks ago. Return to Don Smock. Phone 3932. 12

MIMEOGRAPH PAPER, 8 1/2 x 11, in 500 sheet packages. Avalanche Office. 1-1 ft

LET ME FIX IT—For general repairs of any kind, including washing machines, electric and general carpentry work, call Bill Nawayny. Phone 3541. 1-1 ft

MIDDLE AGED LADY—C. S. N. student desires practical nursing or quantity cooking. Experienced in both. Write M. Wend, 609 Ridgewood Ave., Lansing 10, Mich. 5-12-19

FOR SALE—1,750 watt Delco plant with good batteries. One 1,500 watt 110 volt Kolor plant in good running shape. C. B. Smith, Star Route, Grayling. 5-12-19

FOR SALE—New 1948 table model radio, new General Electric 1-6 H. P. motor, new coffee table, several hundred feet new wood panel board, several hundred linear feet base board. Ed LeButt, Lake Margaret, Phone 3731 before 4:15 daily. 2-5 ft

FOR SALE—750 and 1,000 watt Delco plants, 32 volt, also 32 volt 1/4 horse motor. Lincoln Lodge Farm, Star Route No. 1, Grayling. 12

NOTICE—I will clean, polish or dye shoes in my home. Myrton Burrows, 508 Chestnut St., City. 12

MALE HELP WANTED—Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Crawford County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 a day. No experience or capital required. For information write today. McNess Company, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. 12-19

FOR SALE—30-30 rifle and shells \$50; and 22 rifle and shells \$20; good condition. William Brown, Shellenberger St., City. 12

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE for full time selling wanted. Excellent proposition for the right man. Earn from \$100 to \$200 weekly. Car necessary. Send qualifications in first letter to Box 94, Roscommon, Mich. 12-19

BABY CHICKS—Earliest booking dates: Banded Rocks and New Hampshire, Feb. 26; White Leghorns, Feb. 23; White Rocks, March 1. Our capacity is limited to 14,000 chicks weekly. Inasmuch as some hatching dates in March and April are fully booked, we suggest ordering your chicks today, before it is too late for booking. Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling, Mich. U. S. R. O. P. Breeding Farm. 2-12 ft

FOR SALE—1 32-volt Delco with 16 good batteries and 42 bulbs, price \$90. One 7-tube table radio, \$15; hand vacuum cleaner, \$7; 1/4 horse power motor, \$8; iron, slightly used, \$5; all appliances for 32-volt current and in very good condition. Prices cash. Phone 4112. Dan C. Babbitt. 12

FOR SALE—Fur coat, 3/4 length, silver fox tip. Size 14. In excellent condition. May be seen at Marie Bolton's, 801 Smith Street, City. 12

FOR SALE—Modern house, 4 1/2 acres. Reconnob, West Lake Street, across from Archery. 12

the program. Art York of the Bear Archery Company spoke of archery and displayed the different methods of handling archery equipment. Pointing out that a great many of the needed items of a bow hunter can be fabricated by a Scout, he urged the Grayling troop to investigate the sport and told of his own experiences in the Scouts and of how his troop made archery a hobby, of both the shooting and making of equipment.

Kiwanian Charles Pieper of the Kiwanian company then screened two colored movies of hunting deer and moose with bow and arrow. As part of the program, the Scouts repeated the Scout oath and code, led by Skippy Johnson.

Lovells Notes

Mickey Stillwagon spent a couple days in Lovells last week with his grandparents.

Edgar Caldwell was a patient at Mercy Hospital last week, having the misfortune to break his right ankle on Monday at his home. He was dismissed from the hospital on Sunday and for a time will be aided by crutches.

Tommy Douglas has employment at the Corwin Garage in Grayling.

The Cheerful Givers Club enjoyed last Thursday at Mrs. Esther Gardoppe's home. Work was planned and given out to different members to have ready for their annual bazaar this summer.

Next meeting will be February 19th at the home of Harriet Stockling. Potluck lunch will be served.

Bob Stockling is a patient at Mercy Hospital, where he underwent an operation Friday. We are glad to note he is doing nicely.

Archie Feldhauser and his ice crew finished the ice job the first of the week.

The box social which was planned for Saturday evening, February 13th, was held at the 21st street from Saturday, February 21st week, due to the fact of so many unable to participate on the 14th. So will be glad for all to come ready for February 21st. Come and enjoy the evening together.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stillwagon visited with relatives in West Branch Sunday.

Basketball (Continued from Page 1)

16 in the last half at Mancelona last Friday. It was not enough to hold a 21 to 10 halftime advantage. Grayling turned on the heat in the third frame and outscored the Irons 16 to 12 and 8 to 4 in the final period.

Chuck Feldhauser with 8 field goals and a pair of free shots led the Wave attack. Max Nidderer and Dick Bielski each added 8 points with Jim Feldhauser scoring a field goal and Clare Burns and Jerry Smock each adding a foul shot. Hansen led the victors with 14 points with Griffone adding 13 and Holmes 10.

The Wavelets outscored the Mancelona second in every quarter but the final one and earned themselves a 32 to 25 win. Jack Richardson with 8 points paced the Grayling attack. Parkinson totaled 7, Parsons 5 with Lozen and Krage adding 4 apiece. Larsen, Johnson and Shepperly led the Mancelona attack with 9, 8 and 7 points respectively.

The Wavelets grabbed a 9 to 6 lead at the first quarter and worked it to a 17 to 11 halftime lead. They counted 6 to Mancelona's 3 in the third quarter but faded in the final as the little Ironmen hit for 11 points to Grayling's 9.

Maple Forest

Roy Johnson of Grayling has purchased the Richter farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Allen and daughter of Flint spent the week end here with the Henry Verlinde family.

The T. N. T. Club met at the Town Hall Saturday evening. They completed plans for a community party for Feb. 14th.

Every one is invited to come and enjoy the dancing. Potluck lunch.

Gloria J. Feldhauser of C. M. C. spent the mid semester vacation at home with the Ed Feldhausers.

Stanley Hummel, Jr., went to East Lansing to take a short term course.

Dogs and Deer

Each year about this time we are faced with a problem of dogs running and killing deer. Conservation Officer Clarence Roberts says this is not a new problem and one we will probably have for some time to come.

We have to decide which we want, our deer which brings considerable revenue to Crawford County or a pack of useless dogs running the woods.

We are aware that some people own dogs and do not know that they run deer but we also know that some people do know that their dogs run deer and do nothing about it. It has been the practice to bring dogs into town found running deer and try to find the owner and tell him of what the dog or dogs are doing but some times it is impossible to find his owner. Usually these dogs are found in the woods running again and are taken care of on the spot.

The killing of dogs is not a pleasant job and one that no one likes. I was once asked by a sportsman, "How can you possibly kill a dog as well as you like to hunt yourself?" Roberts said, "My reply was, 'when you see a dog or a number of dogs literally eating a deer alive and at the same time hearing the pitiful blat of the deer, you have very little trouble sending the dogs to the so called happy hunting grounds.'"

Let's get behind this thing and try to prevent this useless slaughter of deer we have each winter at the hands of a few dogs. If you have a dog that you feel is running deer and want to get rid of it call the Conservation Officer or Sheriff and they will see that the dog is properly taken care of. Otherwise keep the dog tied up and out of the woods or sooner or later he will be shot for running deer.

Frederic News

Mrs. Otis Weaver is home from Detroit, her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Garver, accompanied her home.

A few friends and relatives went in Friday night to help Mrs. C. S. Barber celebrate her birthday. She received some nice gifts and at a late hour refreshments were served. Congratulations Mrs. Barber.

Lewis Edward Butler, Jr., is the name given the new grandson of Mrs. Lulu Butler Flagg, in Detroit. He was born January 16.

Diana and Margaret Madill have the measles.

Mrs. Charles Madill has been sick with the flu.

John Madill who is attending Bay City Business College, and his brother, Frank Madill, who is attending Mt. Cleason, were home for the week end.

Gene Kaiser enrolled in Mt. Pleasant school for this semester.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Melroy are home from Detroit.

A film depicting the work of the New Tribes Mission in South America will be the main attraction of a special meeting scheduled at the Frederic Bible Church for 8 P. M., Wednesday evening.

Crawford County Library

Many new books have recently been placed on the shelves in the library and many more are now being processed by the library staff. These will soon be ready and will be made a fine addition to those which have already been placed in the library.

Among the recent new books is "The Purple Plain" by H. E. Bates. The setting for this story is exotic southeast Asia and concerns beautiful Burmese Anna, who helps a British pilot recover from catastrophe. "Abigail Adams" by Janet Whitney is a biography of the wife of one president and mother of another. One of a tamarack tree remained unchanged when love, murder and political intrigue swept into a small Vermont town is the story unfolded in "The Tamarack Tree" by Howard Breslin. "Stars in My Crown" by Joe David Brown is the story of Grandpa, a self-educated small-town minister and his battle against evil and intolerance as seen through the eyes of his grandsons.

At a recent library board meeting, it was decided that there should be three new shelves made to take care of the many new books. These have now been placed in the library and are being used to good advantage. The librarian also gave her report and some of these figures are very interesting. The 1947 yearly circulation was 6,137 books and 1,160 magazines. Of these books 2,881 were adult fiction, 985 were adult non-fiction and 2,491 were juvenile books. The population of Crawford County is 3,765 and 558 or a

little more than 1/6 of the population borrowed books from the library. It is hoped that many more people will visit the library this year and take advantage of the reading and reference material now available.

On several occasions and by different people the library has been asked for a history of Crawford County. At the present there is very little material available. The State Library has offered to compile and type any information which can be collected and sent to them. Mrs. Franklin Hills, who has volunteered to collect this

material, needs some help. If anyone has any clippings or references some historical facts concerning this county, Mrs. Hills would be very grateful if you would call her or some how get in touch with her.

The librarian also reported that since the Crawford County Library met the qualifications for a grant, the State Board for Libraries has sent a check for \$112.95 as first payment on the grant. Part of this money was used to have the new shelves made and the balance will be used to purchase new books.

RON'S HARDWARE

"On The Corner"

WE DELIVER

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Kiwanis Club

Notes

The Kiwanis Club of Grayling played host to the Grayling Boy Scout troop Monday evening at their regular meeting in honor of the 38th birthday of the Scout Movement which Boy Scouts all over the world are celebrating this week.

Rev. R. C. Puffer, scout committee chairman, was in charge of

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Still In The Ring

Some commentators on military affairs seem to think that new weapons and new techniques have made almost all of the old ones obsolete—and that we should completely junk the traditional in favor of the experimental. As an example, naval surface ships are cited as next-to-useless relics of the past.

Secretary of the Navy John L. Sullivan recently answered that by reminding the country of four past developments which, at one time, were supposed to drive surface vessels from the seas. The first was explosive shells of great caliber—but improved armor plate proved the answer to that. Then the perfection of the torpedo was heralded as the death knell of ships—until compartmentation and other forms of anti-torpedo protection solved the problem. The improved submarine led to a wide belief that shipping had become too risky and too expensive to attempt—a claim which was subsequently disproved by such developments as the depth bomb and other defense measures. Finally, the aircraft zealous said that the high development of the military plane meant that sea power ceased to exist. And that claim, as everyone knows, was completely disproved by the experiences of World War II in which surface ships—both transport and combat—played one of the decisive roles.

No intelligent man minimizes the potential importance of new weapons. But, at the same time, no one can say that further invention will not at least partially neutralize their menace. A first-class fighting force, even as it works aggressively to develop the new, must maintain its efficiency and strength in old weapons and ideas whose decisiveness has been proved time and again. It must, in short, be ready for combat of the traditional as well as a revolutionary character.

GIVE 'EM BOTH BARRELS!

By COLLIER



Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

February 12, 1925

Mrs. Robert Gillett was hostess to the Bridge Club Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Esbern Hanson held the high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin have moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, who have purchased the Claud Gilson house.

Peter E. Johnson of Grand Rapids is spending several days here visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Sorenson and family.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Nelson, Monday, February 9th. Mrs. Nelson was formerly Miss Dagmar Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan entertained a few guests at an informal bridge party Saturday evening.

Miss Evangeline Walsh of Detroit was a guest of Miss Lucille Hanson over the week end. The young ladies were school friends at St. Mary's of the Woods.

Mrs. Herbert Gothro was hostess to her club Tuesday evening. Prizes for "500" were won by Mrs. Oliver Cody and Mrs. Victor Smith.

Two candidates, Mrs. Florence

Lauridson and Miss Clara Willett were initiated into the W. B. A. Thursday evening.

One of the loveliest parties of the season was given Thursday evening at the Temple theater by Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. B. Earle Smith. Sixty couples responded to the invitation and dancing was the feature of the party. Schram's Ramblers furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley entertained Friday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of their mother, Mrs. A. J. Redson. The affair was a delightful surprise to Mrs. Redson, who was eighty years old on that day.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Vincent, a daughter, on Monday, February 9.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horan are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Mercy Hospital this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle J. Hewitt (Mary Cassidy) are happy over the arrival of a daughter, Patricia Anne, born Tuesday morning at Mercy Hospital.

Women of the Mooseheart Legion held initiation February 3rd, Meadames Mae Clark and Nettie Stone being the candidates.

Mrs. Bert Mitchell was delightfully surprised at her home Saturday evening by 38 of her friends, the occasion being her birthday.

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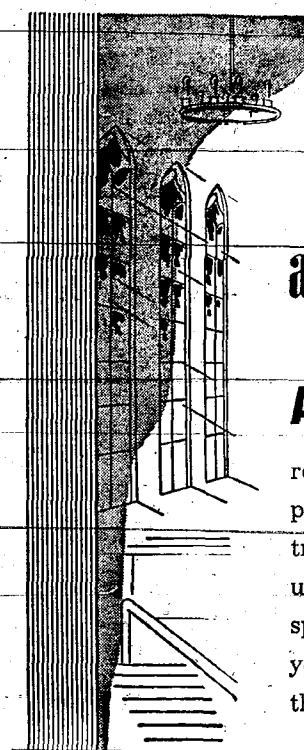
The farmer has always been a keystone in our economic life, and the key to our national well-being. But from where I sit, he's more important now than ever. He's not only feeding America—but friends of America overseas—building good will for this country at a time when friendship for democracy is most important.

And farmers have willingly shouldered that responsibility. Will spends extra hours in his cornfield... comes home tired to a temperate glass of beer and early bed, to be ready for the next day's work.

From where I sit, America can be mighty grateful for her five million farmers... for their productivity, hard work, and temperate glass of beer is proof!

Joe Marsh

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Sunday & Monday

Sunday Show Continuous From 2 P. M.

Cartoon

Novelty

Late News

"The Bachelor and the Bobby Soxer"

Starring

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Tues. Wed. Thurs.

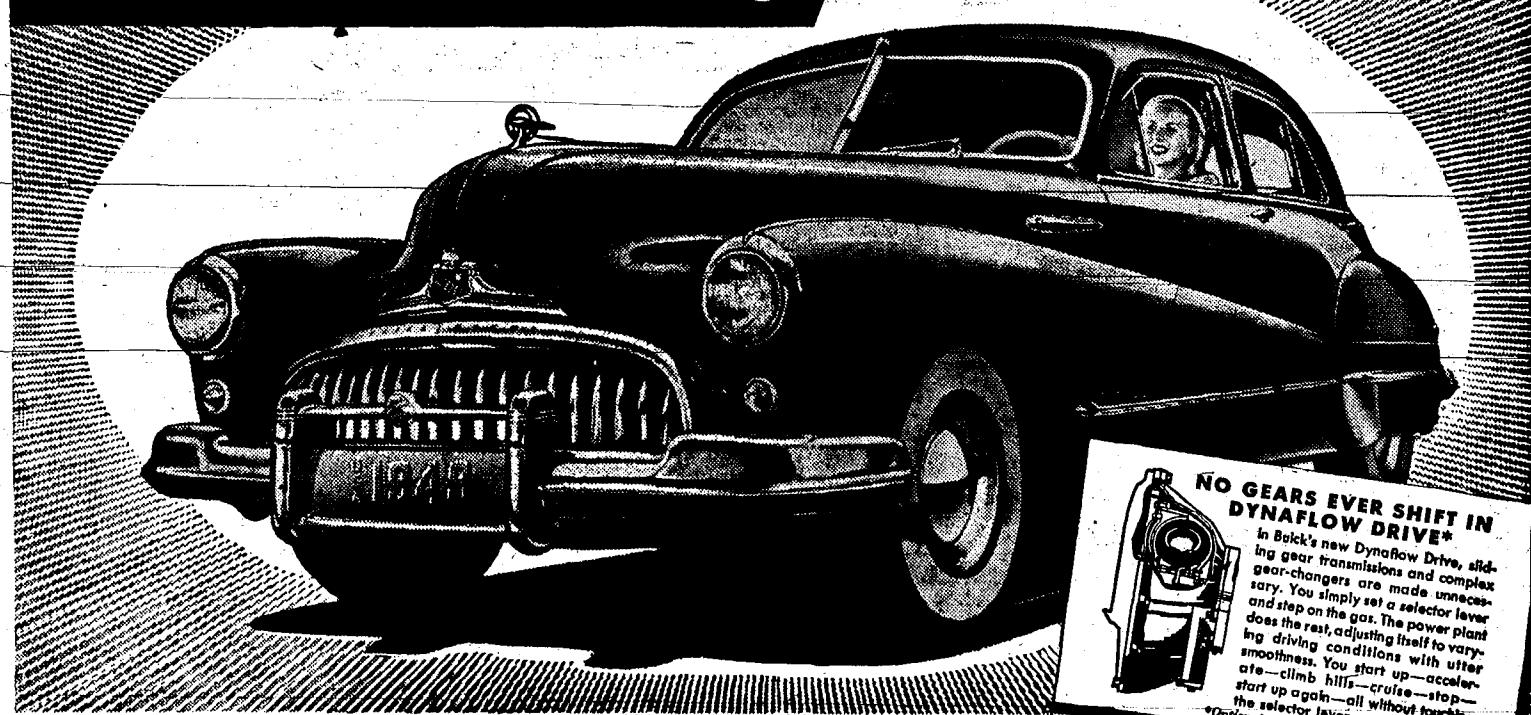
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Cartoon

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Program Subject To Change

Fashion Plate for '48



Buick takes the bows—with ten sparkling models, a new Vibra-Shielded ride, sensational Dynaflo Drive, 30-odd new advances

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U-M. Weatherman Doubts Cycle

Best way to know what's coming in the way of weather is still to heed the official forecast, but there may be something to be said for

those amateur weather prophets who feel coming storms "in their bones," a University of Michigan meteorologist believes.

Those folks who seem able to predict changing weather conditions are probably more sensitive to such changes than the average person, Richard Strong, who teaches classes in geology and meteorology at the University, ex-

plains. Instead of forecasting weather, they are simply aware of a change which has already occurred but which is not yet marked enough for most people to notice, he says.

The theory that weather goes in cycles of several years' duration has never been proved, Strong adds, so there's little scientific evidence to bear out grandpa's contention that winters nowadays aren't nearly as severe as those of fifty years ago—or that they're more severe than the ones you remember, either.

Several theories of weather cycles have been advanced, however, Strong says. One of these holds that weather corresponds to the sun spot cycle, which has an 11-year duration. Theoretically, during a year of great sun spot activity—and this is such a year—the temperatures will be higher than normal. But who could fail to notice those sub-zero temperatures this winter?

Modern weather forecasting is based on "air mass analysis" or "frontal analysis," both being aspects of the same thing, the University meteorologist explains. There are great currents of air which move over the surface of the earth. When a "cold wave" strikes the mid-West, it is usually the result of a mass of cold air moving down from Canada and crossing the international border without so much as a by-your-leave.

A war-time theory of weather forecasting held that storms moved into the United States from the West, with a new storm, or change in the weather, coming every six days. The latitude at which such a storm struck the Pacific Coast was the basis for predicting weather farther inland, since such storms follow fairly well determined "storm tracks," Strong explains. However, after crossing the Rockies, most such storms converge and regardless of their subsequent travels, usually pass out of this country through the St. Lawrence Valley. Therefore, they were of little use in predicting weather for the eastern part of the country.

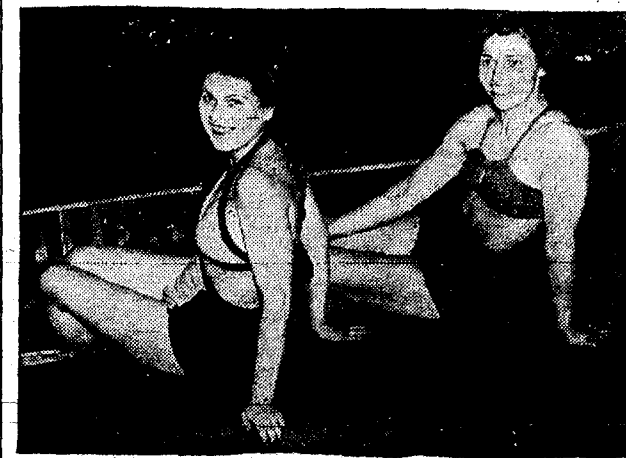
People have observed that weather tends to be colder than normal on the night of a full moon are correct in their observation but wrong if they attribute the temperature to the moon, Strong says. The determining factor is "cloud cover," he adds, since a layer of clouds retards the "radiation" or passing off of heat from the earth's surface. On a clear night, moon or not, the temperature will likely be lower than on a cloudy one.

Trout Stamps Most Ready For Issue

Stamp collectors across the nation next month will have an opportunity to buy what is believed to be the first stamp ever issued by a state to license fishermen. The Conservation Department promises stocks of the 1948 trout stamp will be in the hands of license dealers by March 15.

The new stamps are the size of a special delivery postage stamp, engraved in green on a brook trout design by Conservation Department illustrator Charles Schaefer. Collectors may obtain them singly or in sheets of 20 that are four stamps high, five across.

Fishermen, both resident and nonresident, taking any brook, brown or rainbow trout in 1948 will need the trout stamp pasted on their regular \$1.50, \$2 or \$3 fishing licenses. The special license for trout fishing was voted by the 1947 session of the Legislature, which also earmarked this income for propagation of trout and planting trout in trout streams. Aside from sales to stamp collectors, which are expected to be substantial, the trout stamp issue will give the first reliable index in years to the true number of Michigan's trout fishermen. When special trout licenses were required from 1923 through 1932, the number issued varied from 44,000 to 88,000. In recent years the number of Michigan's trout fishermen has been estimated as high as 200,000. The current stamp issue



Nova Scotia wants the world to know that California and Florida have not a monopoly on glamour girls. And these two young ladies, Viola Paul (left) and Laura Wamboldt, do not simply pose for pictures for they are official Canadian guides. As guides they are expert fisherwomen, hunters and doers. They will appear in special aquatic stunts at the Detroit Sports and Boat Show in Convention Hall, February 14 to 22.

of 600,000 is believed an abundant supply for the state's 3,200 license dealers.

Wives of licensed resident anglers, who have fished free on their husband's licenses, may also fish trout free on their husbands' trout stamps. An endorsement on the wife's free license stub may be made when the husband buys a trout stamp for his license.



"Health News" is presented by your Doctor of Medicine as a health service of the Michigan State Medical Society.

Medical Preparedness

Working together on the county state and national levels, doctors of medicine are striving to provide an equitable distribution of medical services, not only during peacetime but also in the event of another war. Providing good medical service for everyone is their active concern and in case of another national emergency, the doctors want a courageous, forward-looking program, representing the medical profession, which would constitute an improvement on the one of World War II.

On the basis of surveys which have been conducted by the American Medical Society, the conclusion has been reached that considerably more doctors were inducted into the armed services than were needed.

Doctors of medicine are advising that during another war more doctors should be permitted to stay at home to care for the civilian population. An analysis of 26,000 replies to a questionnaire sent to discharged medical officers, reveals that these men feel the disproportionate number of doctors in the armed services during World War II not only deprived the civilian population of its share of medical service, but also caused a waste of medical skills.

Former medical officers estimate that the army could have cut its medical officer ranks by 23 per cent and the navy by 30 per cent without lowering the quantity or quality of medical service available to members of the armed forces during the war.

If another emergency should occur, doctors of medicine want the limited supply of medical skills carefully and wisely distributed for military and military personnel. The doctors doubt that 60 per cent of the nation's physicians could provide effective medical care for the civilian population in the event of an atomic war.

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Sundays: 8:30 and 10:30.

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11:00 A. M.—Worship.
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Council Proceedings

February 2, 1948.

Regular meeting.
Meeting called to order by Mayor Robert Hayes.
Councilmen present, Gothro, Tufts, Roberts, Burke and Hayes. Absent none.
Visitors present: John Millikin, Arthur Worden, Emil Giegling, School Supt. Frank Bond, Officer George Bieski, Sheriff William Golinick, Prosecuting Attorney Robert Neafie, Leslie Hunter, County Treasurer James Post, and Harry Russell.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
Moved by Gothro, supported by Tufts to replace the light fund bonds which were borrowed by the General Bond and necessary business directed by said parent, guardian or other adult person aforesaid.
Yeas: Tufts, Roberts, Hayes, Gothro and Burke.
Nays: None.
Moved by Roberts, supported by Tufts that the Traverse City Iron Works be paid the amount of \$8,771.43 for new water mains.
Yeas: Roberts, Hayes, Gothro, Burke and Tufts.
Nays: None.
Letter read from Grayling Lions Club in favor of curfew law as proposed by P. T. A.
Mr. John Millikin wished to know when bids for trenching and backfill would be let on new sewer and water main construction.
Mr. Arthur Worden requested an O. K. on changing from a regular tavern to a regular tourist liquor license for eight months.
Moved by Gothro, supported by Tufts to approve this license.
Yeas: Tufts, Roberts, Gothro, Hayes and Burke.
Nays: None.
New Curfew Ordinance—prepared by Attorney Moore read.
Ordinance follows:
ORDINANCE NUMBER SEVENTEEN—CURFEW ORDINANCE
The City of Grayling Ordains,
ARTICLE I. Establishment of Curfew.
Section 1. No minor under the age of seventeen (17) years shall loiter, idle, wander, stroll or play in or upon the public streets, highways, roads, alleys, parks, public buildings, places of amusement and entertainment, or other unsupervised place, after the hour of 10:30 o'clock P. M. unless such minor shall be in the company of

his or her parent, guardian or other adult person having the care or custody of such minor, or unless such minor is on an emergency errand or some legitimate and necessary business directed by his or her parent, guardian or other adult person aforesaid.
ARTICLE II. Parental Responsibility.
Section 1. No parent, guardian or other adult person having the care or custody of any minor under the age of seventeen (17) years shall permit or allow such minor to loiter, idle, wander, stroll or play in or upon any public street, highway, road, alley, park, public building, place of amusement or entertainment or any other unsupervised place, after the hour of 10:30 o'clock P. M., unless such minor is in the company of such parent, guardian or other adult having the care or custody of such minor or unless such minor is on an emergency errand or on some legitimate and necessary business directed by said parent, guardian or adult person.
ARTICLE III. Penalty.
Section 1. Any minor violating any provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed to be a delinquent child and may be complained against in the probate court for the County of Crawford by any police officer of said City.
Section 2. Any parent, guardian or other adult person having the care or custody of any minor under the age of seventeen (17) years, who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not in excess of \$100 and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment not in excess of ninety days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.
Moved by Roberts, supported by Gothro to pass City Ordinance on Curfew law at 10:30 o'clock P. M., effective as of February 15, 1948.
Yeas: Tufts, Roberts, Gothro, Hayes and Burke.
Nays: None.
Moved by Burke, supported by Hayes that Ordinance Number 18 be amended as follows to cover amusement and music machines, as composed by Attorney Moore.
ORDINANCE NUMBER SIXTEEN
BE IT RESOLVED that Ordinance No. 16 of the Compiled Ordinances of the City of Grayling, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the licensing of music boxes, amusements, devices and vending

machines operated by coins, slugs or tokens" shall be and the same is hereby amended, effective as of February 12, 1948, as follows:
The title of said Ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:
An ordinance to provide for the licensing of music boxes and amusement devices.
Section 1 of said Ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:
Section 1. From and after the effective date of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, company, association, club or group of persons, other than a public school or church, to have or to display in any store, hotel, tavern, clubhouse, dance hall, or in any public place, or in any place where beer, wine or liquor is sold, within the City of Grayling, any music box, music machine or amusement device, whether the same is operated by coin, slug, token or in any other manner, unless a license therefor shall first be obtained as herein provided.
Yeas: Tufts, Roberts, Burke, Gothro and Hayes.
Nays: None.
Moved by Burke, supported by Hayes that meeting be adjourned.
Yeas: Tufts, Roberts, Burke, Gothro and Roberts.
Nays: None.
Max Davenport,
City Clerk.

Northern Lights

Nurse's Report—January, 1948
Home calls made—29
Office calls—176
Exclusions, Impetigo—1
Exclusions, Scabies—1
Exclusions, Mumps, (all in same family)—4
Exclusions, (Trench Mouth)—1
Exclusions, Vincent's Angina—1
Exclusions, Swollen Glands—1
Exclusions, Sore Throat—7
Exclusions, Hospitalized—2
Exclusions, fractured leg—2
Children referred to their family doctor—14
Children sent to their family doctor—5
Children sent to their family dentist—3
Children sent to Traverse City for examination at Clinic—1
Children examined daily from kindergarten through sixth grade—361
Children examined every Tuesday and Thursday at South Side School—53
Children weighed for month—414
Vision testing for month—289
Children given Rx for vision corrections—8
Children sent to Traverse City for vision corrections—8
Children who received glasses—7
Demonstration given by Helen Corwin, R. N., to Home Economic Class on how to bathe a bed patient and make a bed with patient in it.
Film entitled "Your Ears" was shown to all students in grades 5 through 8, also to the Biology class.
Helen Corwin, R. N.

Area Catholics Will Participate In Fund Drive
Catholics in this area will participate in the nation-wide 1948 Appeal of the Bishops' Fund for Victims of War on Sunday, March 7 when a collection will be taken up in all Catholic Churches.
The national quota this year is \$5,000,000. Last year with a quota of \$3,500,000, the Grand Rapids diocese raised \$57,500.
The Most Rev. Francis J. Haas, bishop of Grand Rapids, has appointed Fr. Joseph C. Waten, diocesan director of social services, to head the 1948 appeal. Fr. Waten was also director of the drive in 1947.
Fr. Waten stated recently that the War Relief Services—National Catholic Welfare Conference, under whose auspices the March collection will be held, shipped more than 86,000,000 pounds of supplies last year to aid war victims in 62 countries. Since 1945 the War Relief Services have sent 206,070,000 pounds of supplies worth \$122,160,000, to Europe and the Far East.
Following the custom started last year, a children's collection will be taken up in the parochial schools during the Lenten season.

New Vaccine Prevents Pneumonia, Only Virus Type Still Unconquered

You can guard against pneumonia, thanks to a new vaccine which will protect you against all types except the deadly virus, according to J. D. Ratcliff. Writing in McCall's for February, he tells the exciting story of how the vaccine was discovered and tested.
"Pneumonia is still the chief murderer of children under five. It is a major destroyer of people over 55—and is a sudden threat to all ages in between. By the end of this winter, it will have taken the lives of over 50,000 people—a respectable toll for a disease which most of us think is conquered."
"These figures are only given to indicate the importance of a new vaccine, which was made ready for the public just as the present pneumonia season opened. Present evidence indicates that mosquito-bite shots of this vaccine have the power to save at least 30,000 lives this winter."
"The story of this vaccine be-

gan inauspiciously enough, at the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research in New York in 1923. Two investigators—Dr. Michael Heidelberger and Oswald T. Avery—were studying Diplococcus pneumoniae, the microbe which causes pneumonia. They were particularly interested in the capsule, the shell, of the microbe. They hoped this shell might contain antigen. From the shells of countless billions of pneumonia microbe, they extracted a polysaccharide, a sugary stuff distinctly related to common table sugar.
Four years later, two German workers—Schiemann and Casper—picked up the trail. Two American workers—Dr. S. Thomas Francis, Jr. and W. S. Tillett—took the next step. They shot this material into a man. The subject's blood reacted magnificently. This clinched the case. The sugary stuff was antigen, a chemical stuff which when it gets in the blood stream, jolts blood into producing the antibodies that protect us from disease. This antigen offered the basis for a vaccine which would protect against pneumonia.
"Toward the end of the war, an ideal situation for testing the vaccine presented itself. Pneumonia was taking particularly vicious swipes at the Army Air Force Technical School at Sioux Falls, S. D. Checks showed types I, II, III, IV and VII were causing nearly three-fourths of all the trouble. Since each type has its own antigen, this meant that four vaccines had to be made and combined into a single shot. This was done and the vaccine was given to 8,449 soldiers. A total of 8,568 got vaccine and 8,449 got valueless saline solution.
"For seven months, the researchers watched—throughout the winter of 1944-45. Finally the score was added up. In the unprotected group there were 28 cases of pneumonia. In the group that got vaccine there were but four cases of the disease. This piece of work clinched the case.
"The winner of the race to work out an economical means of mass production was E. R. Squibb Sons, pharmaceutical manufacturers. Antigens for only the most prevalent types of the disease were included. Thus, types I, II, III, V, VII and VIII are the chief killers of adults. Therefore, they would be included in a vaccine specifically designed for grownups. Children, on the other hand, are especially susceptible to types I, IV, VI, XIV, XVIII and XIX. Anyone wanting the broadest protection may take shots of both. Vaccination with both gives protection of better than 80 per cent. It does not, however, protect against virus pneumonia.
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Grayling Bowling League

Men's Division		W. L. T.
Green's Tavern	52	20 28
Ausable Inn	49	23 26
Bill's Shoes	46	26 40
Hanson's	44	28 44
Grayling Restaurant	41	31 41
Tufts Texaco	38	34 38
Rou's Hardware	36	38 36
Ausable Hotel	34	38 34
Plaza Grill	34	38 34
Little George	32	40 32
Wade's Cabin Court	31	41 31
Bear Archery	31	41 31
Ausable Cowboys	31	41 31
Altes Lager	20	43 29
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Bert's Mobilgas	21	51 21

Bill Sterling captured both high single and high series last week with a single game of 237 and a series of 578. Included in his series was 237-141-200. Al Cherven was one pin behind in singles with a 236 while Claude Cardinal's 558 was the best series effort after Sterling.
Bishop of Bear Archery heads the average race with 134 followed by Doc Martzowka with 175. Al Cherven holds third with Bartenfelder fourth with just a small difference between them. Sterling is fifth with 169, Dave Cook is sixth with 167. Herman Bert holds seventh, Sam Rasmussen eighth and Charley Papenfus ninth. All these have an average of 164 with the three divided only by a fraction of the next pin. Smith of Mobilgas holds tenth position with an average of 161.

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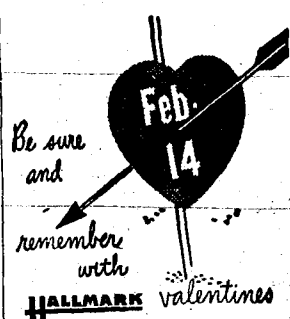
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SHORT STORY

Birthday Gift

By MAUDE NORMAN

THE sound of a ragman's horn came in the open window of the room, where, with housewifely zeal, Nancy Winters was busy with spring house-cleaning.

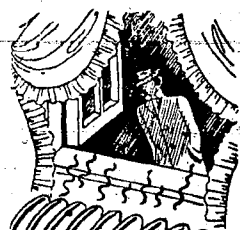


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"A beam came into her eyes. She thought, 'I'll give him that pile of magazines Ted has in the garage and all those pop bottles he is always promising to take away, but never does. I'm tired of having them around.'"

The ragman looked around hopefully as he loaded the bottles and magazines on his rickety old truck. "Any old clothes, Ma'am?" he asked. "Any old rubber or iron?" "No, that's all... wait a minute." She darted into the garage, returning with a pair of old grey trousers. "Here, you may as well take these, too."

She gave her husband a particularly warm kiss when he came home that evening. "I'm almost dead," she sighed as they were eating dinner. "At first I thought I would open a can of soup or something easy to prepare, but then I remembered how nice you were, so I made you this meat pie and upside-down cake." Thus she tried to pave the way to tell him what she had done.

"It beats me why you have to kill yourself, trying to do everything in one day," Ted answered. "The house always looks all right to me without you having to tear it apart every so often. Thanks for the swell dinner, Honey. Guess I'll work on the car for awhile."

"That reminds me," she interrupted hastily. "A ragman came by today and I let him take those pop bottles and magazines out in the garage."

"You what?"

"And I let him take those dirty old pants out there too," she rushed on.

"You mean you gave those pants away?" Ted shouted. "Those pants had fifty dollars in the pocket!"

"Ted! They didn't."

"They did unless you took it out. Did you?"

"Of course not. It never occurred to me. Oh, Ted! What have I done?"

"Gave away your birthday gift. That's all. I've been saving all year to buy that wrist watch you wanted. I thought I had found a safe hiding place in those pants. Perhaps we can get it back. Did you notice a name on the truck?"

"That's a lot of help. We can't look through the whole book."

"We could look under 'Junk Dealers,'" she said.

"Here it is," he exclaimed, after a few minutes' search. "Tony Rozalle, 1348 Clark street."

Little house—whose back-yard gave ample proof of its owner's occupation.



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ton—An ancient, bent old lady answered their knock. She shook her head in response to their request to speak to Mr. Rozalle.

"The old lady doesn't speak or understand English," a dark-eyed boy came from the back of the house. "You wanta buy something, Mister, or have you got something you wanta sell?"

"Are you Mr. Rozalle's son?" Ted asked.

"Naw, I live next door, but I told Tony I'd take care of things till he came back."

"When will he be back?"

"Not for a couple of days, mister. His boy, who's in the air corps, was all busted up in an airplane crash. Tony and his wife wanted to go see him but they didn't have the money. Then today a rich lady gave Tony fifty bucks and they'll go out as soon as he comes home. That's what I call luck."

"Yes, it was fortunate," Ted avoided Nancy's eyes as he spoke.

"I'm glad Mr. Rozalle and his wife were able to visit their son."

"Sure I can't do anything for you, mister?"

"Nothing, thank you. What we wanted to see about wasn't very important."

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LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NUMBER SEVENTEEN. CURFEW ORDINANCE.

The City of Grayling Ordains:

ARTICLE I. Establishment of Curfew.

Section 1. No minor under the age of seventeen (17) years shall loiter, idle, wander, stroll or play in or upon the public streets, highways, roads, alleys, parks, public buildings, places of amusement and entertainment, or other unsupervised place, after the hour of 10:30 P. M., unless such minor shall be in the company of his or her parent, guardian or other adult person having the care or custody of such minor, or unless such minor is on an emergency errand or on some legitimate and necessary business directed by his or her parent, guardian or other adult person as aforesaid.

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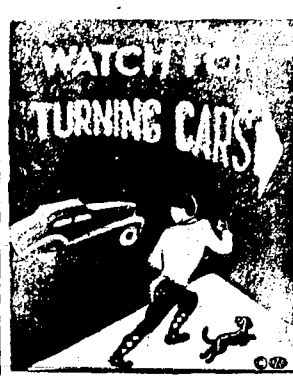
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Present: Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

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estate be granted to Jack C. Millikin or some other suitable person. It is Ordered, That the 4th day of March A. D. 1948 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy,
Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate. 5-12-19-28

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

Take Notice: That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a redemption thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with fifty per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, which fee shall be the same as provided by law for service of subpoenas or for orders of publication or the cost of such service by registered mail, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges: Provided, That with respect to purchasers at the tax-sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of redemption shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax-title purchase, together with ten per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

State of Michigan,
County of Crawford.

Commencing at SW corner of McRae's Addition, thence E 54 rods, S 21 rods, W 54 rods, N 21 rods to place of beginning, being a part of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 35, T28N R4W, S34, 1940.

Amount necessary to redeem \$3,82, plus the fees of the Sheriff, Lyle Duckley.

Frederic, Michigan.
To J. C. McRae (address unknown), last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands, or of any interest therein, as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, at the date of delivery of this notice to the Sheriff for service.

29-5-12-19

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Horizontal

- 1 Consumed
- 4 Landmeasure
- 6 Passage
- 11 Central American republic
- 13 Largest island in the Mediterranean
- 15 Powerful deity
- 16 Bottomless
- 18 Wings
- 19 Law: things
- 21 Unaccompanied
- 22 Symbol for tantalum
- 23 Fully attended
- 24 Shy
- 26 American surgeon
- 31 Ancient Memphisian divinity
- 33 Earth goddess
- 34 Upon
- 35 To employ
- 38 Norwegian for "snow-shoe"
- 39 Sun god
- 40 By
- 41 Prima donna
- 43 To look
- 45 Advance
- 46 Beverage
- 47 To compare critically, as texts
- 50 River in Italy
- 52 To lend
- 53 Youth
- 54 Scandinavian Mongoloid
- 58 Brink
- 60 Not any
- 61 To refer indirectly
- 63 One who rules
- 65 Favorable termination of a melody
- 66 Conjunction
- 67 English river

Vertical

- 2 Easy gait
- 5 Substitute for silk
- 6 Maintains
- 7 Two
- 8 Aroint thee, cat!
- 9 State emblem of New Hampshire
- 10 Guido's high note
- 12 Molten lava
- 14 Archaic: you
- 17 Water
- 20 To watch secretly
- 24 Colloquial: away
- 25 Domesticated ox of central Asia
- 27 Monster
- 28 Twelve-month
- 29 Poker stake
- 32 Handle of a dagger
- 36 Thus
- 37 Derives
- 42 Fragrant wood of an East Indian tree
- 44 Elongated
- 46 To devote to a particular purpose
- 48 Music: stately
- 49 Ire
- 51 Musical composition
- 54 Fourth wife of Henry VIII
- 55 To be foolishly fond
- 56 Note of scale
- 57 Completely
- 59 Comparative suffix
- 62 Roman gods
- 64 Man's nickname

No. 17

Answer to Puzzle Number 16

A	L	A	B	E	D			
S	U	B	A	C	E	N	T	
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Bits O' Talk

The Roy Milnes spent Saturday in Traverse City on business.

Watch for full page of Grayling Winter Sports pictures in the Detroit Times on Friday, February 13.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook left Friday to attend the Dental Convention in Chicago and to visit his brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Cook and son, Freddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Madsen and daughter Carmen, spent the week end in Gaylord visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Madsen.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. McNeil and family moved here Thursday to make their home. They formerly resided in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Strong have moved into the former George Granger house.

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Bob Johnson came home last Thursday on a between semester vacation from C. M. C. E. at Mt. Pleasant.

Ed Carlson is home from Detroit.

to spend the week with his mother and sister, Donna, and will take Jim Kolka's place on the Spike's Basketball team while Jim is in Kalamazoo fighting in a Golden Gloves bout.

Iris Madsen is spending between semesters at C. M. C. E., Mt. Pleasant with her parents the Clare Madsens.

Richard Penty spent the week end here for the skiing.

Rosa Bishaw is home from Central Michigan College of Education.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duerr of Detroit spent the week end here.

"Dr." and Mrs. William Schweinsberg of Bay City are happy over the arrival of a son.

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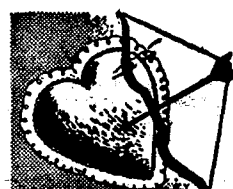
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Mr. and Mrs. James E. McNeil and family moved here Thursday to make their home. They formerly resided in Saginaw.

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to spend the week with his mother and sister, Donna, and will take Jim Kolka's place on the Spike's Basketball team while Jim is in Kalamazoo fighting in a Golden Gloves bout.

Iris Madsen is spending between semesters at C. M. C. E., Mt. Pleasant with her parents the Clare Madsens.

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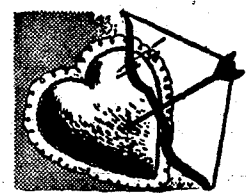
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The same cooks that cooked the pancakes at the Woman's Club Pancake supper will be on the job Wednesday night, February 11, at the Lion Club Pancake supper. Masonic Temple, 5 to 7 o'clock.

Miss Barbara Ann Borchers arrived home last Thursday to a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers, and brother, Don. She had as her week end guests, Mary Ellen Blunt and Don Cady of Saginaw, Marie Hollenbeck of Indian River, Jane Kernan of Holly and Jean Kernan of Saginaw.

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Ajax	Lg. Can	Wells Floor	Pt. Jar
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of Petoskey. Barbara spent Monday and Tuesday at Mary Ellen's home in Saginaw and Jack Wade left Tuesday to spend a couple of days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Johnson expect to leave this week end for a sojourn in Florida. The mercury started on a downward trek on last Wednesday when the Fish Hatchery thermometer registered 4 below at 8 A. M. Next day brought 16 below, Sunday 12 below, Monday 13 below and Tuesday 24 below. All readings were at 8 A. M.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoerl had as their guest Mrs. Hoerl's brother from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen and daughter, Jacqueline, of Flint spent the week end visiting Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Verlinde of Maple Forest, and other relatives and friends in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox and son, John, of Flint, spent the week end visiting their daughter, Mrs. Howard Hatfield, and other relatives.

South Side School was closed Monday morning due to improper heating.

Mrs. George Leonard is feeling much better at this writing. She has been ill.

Beatrice Schreiber was on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McEvers had as their guest Mrs. Edna McEvers on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McEvers are now living in their new home in Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lazarowicz and daughter, Clara, and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Verl Sunday at Shaw's Park.

Mrs. Richard Babbitt of Maple Forest visited Mrs. John Wilcox. Mrs. Babbitt and Mrs. Wilcox were neighbors in Maple Forest.

Mrs. Stanley Lazarowicz was hostess to a birthday party given in honor of her daughter, Viola, Friday evening at her home. Games were played with prizes going to Juanita Moresney, Anita SanCartier and Jerrimee Harwood. Later in the evening a

lunch was served by the hostess. Viola received many nice gifts. Edward Carlson Jr. is home visiting his mother and sister.

Mrs. Francis Wilcox was released from Mercy Hospital on Tuesday.

Sister Gonzalva (Continued from Page One) today, Thursday, at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Grand Rapids, Mass to be read at 10 A. M.

Sister Gonzalva was superintendent of Mercy Hospital here six years before leaving for Muskegon last July. Before coming to Grayling she was in charge of Mercy Hospital in Muskegon for eleven years and St. Mary's Hospital, Grand Rapids for six years.

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Helen Reddington and Mrs. Mary Coe of Muskegon and Mrs. Angeline Mink of Remus, and one brother, Mike Baumann of Remus.

Several sisters of Mercy Hospital here were in attendance at the funeral.

Nowadays Win Doubles Bowling Tournament

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nawatny rolled 1165 total with handicap to win the mixed doubles bowling tournament held at the Northwood Bowling Alley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Balch with 1111 grabbed second place with Ellen Gierke and Rolla Failing winning third prize with their 1110. Mr. and Mrs. Don Akers placed fourth with 1099 and Dave Cook and Lillian Ryan were fifth with 1093. Last prize was won by Bill Sterling and Maude Oates who rolled 1081.

Eighteen couples entered the tourney and a swell time was reported by all contestants. Several men's ears were red the rest of Sunday as their feminine partners out rolled them.

Another mixed doubles tournament is scheduled for Sunday, February 29 with the entry list closing at midnight, February 28. The same rules and regulations will govern. Entry fee is \$1.50 and any man or woman who is bowling in the Grayling League this year or did last year is eligible to enter. Handicaps are set on the basis of actual league averages.

Legion Auxiliary News

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and Mr. and Mrs. George Quinn, Mrs. May Selesky and Mrs. Virginia Selesky attended the district meeting held in Prudenville, Feb. 8.

WARRELL, NEW DISTRICT FORESTER

Shuman Warrell, district forester of the AuSable State Forest, with his wife and daughter Sharon Kay have moved into headquarters "down river" formerly occupied by the Sam Cline family.

Mr. Warrell was formerly with the Parks Division of the Department and was stationed at the State Park in Interlocken. Welcome to Grayling, Warrells.

RECENT MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

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The marriage took place in Gaylord. The couple was attended by Miss Eileen Robarge and Harold Hatfield.

ZION LEAGUE NEWS

The Zion's League sponsored their "Study" program at Patricia Kern's home last Sunday night. "We Set Our Standard" was the theme. It was carried through

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with script and expressions, with Steve Hannah as assistant chairman. Later in the evening a large birthday cake was introduced, all singing "Happy Birthday" to those having birthdays in February. The honors fell on Patricia Stephan, Bob Sunday, Jim Feldhauser, Wayne Holzman, Lois Ashton and Norval Stephan. Mrs. Norval Stephan served hot chocolate and all left feeling the evening was well spent. Our number was twenty-five, with others home nursing the "flu."

The next meeting is our recreation, that will be held at the Grange Hall. Cynthia Stephan is chairman. Please get in touch with her for details. A good time promised to all who wish to come. Time, 7 P. M., Sunday evening.

Our Town

A group of the Grayling youngbloods, who in a big way go for all of the winter sports, took a fling over the week end at activities at one of the neighboring, Northern Michigan winter spots.

This particular spot, incidentally, has had reams of publicity in the big town newspapers. But for all their "visiting firemen" on their return were unanimous in declaring the Grayling park was tops. And judge.

We like to chuckle over that nocturnal discussion of recent date when the local station master and his robust friend, the chief of police, went literary in the wee hours. It was along about 2 A. M. when the boys, highly involved, finally located an available dictionary.

Said dictionary ended whatever disagreement there was, and revealed the astonishing fact that each of the disputants had an entirely different word in mind.

Along with this nocturnal thinking we wonder if the town's slumbering inhabitants ever assume that life in its various forms grinds to a halt at the stroke of midnight. As remote and as staid as this burg may seem these dull winter nights, there is always something afoot. Take it from the hustling taxi operators, there is never a dull moment, and always there is some one on the move. With the coming of dawn the tempo is stepped up but there are few, if any intermissions.

Credit department: If the now somewhat stalemate subject of fires may be brought up once more, and in order to do full justice all around in the future of the recent big blaze, let's not by-pass Chief of Police George Bielski. He discovered the fire, turned in the alarm, and assisted in arousing guests by taking over in the smoke-filled corridors and rooms fronting the adjacent hotel. And the chief really pounded those doors.

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